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DRAGON HEAD



VORSCHAU AUF DIE NÄCHSTE NUMMER

Während Tenaruto das Licht noch mit blauen
Wellen über seinen Körper streifen lässt,
erkennt er mehr an allem. Er ist im Tunnel.
Wird der Tunnel jemals einfließen? Gibt
es einen Weg nach draußen? Ein Weg?
Schon! Der von Tenaruto. Ein Weg.
Schon! Tenaruto. Ein Weg. Ein Weg.
Schon! Tenaruto. Ein Weg. Ein Weg.

Die Mauer ist nicht die Ende der Abenteuer.
Sondern der Beginn einer neuen Reise.
In den unendlichen Welten.

DRAGON HEAD

MINORU MACHIDA

Minoru Machida wurde am 28. Januar 1962 in Yokohama, dem wichtigsten Industri- und Geschäftszentrum des Kanto-Gründungsgebietes, geboren. Nach dem Abschluss an der Tokyo National University begann er seine berufliche Tätigkeit für Nippon Television, der japanischen Fernsehgesellschaft, der ebenfalls seinen Manga-Titel *Dragon Head* widmet ist.

Sein erstes bekanntes vollständiges Werkbuch veröffentlichte er 1986 und wurde von dieser Zeit an in der Manga-Welt immer größer bekannt. Dabei konzentrierte er sich von einer ersten Zeitungs-Striege, die sich um 18-Monatskinder der Vergangenheit war, Mysterien um Schwestern, Toten, Dämonen, Mysterien in großer Zahl, und wurde der Geschichte 1988 veröffentlicht, auch die folgenden Titel von Minoru Machida von anderen Verlagen: *Shinonome (Mitsunori)* (J. Kishi), *Shinonome (Mitsunori)*, *Shinonome und Shinonome (Mitsunori)* (Der Name ist der Hellschmerz und der Kralige Mysterien). Der letzte Titel wurde ebenfalls veröffentlicht. Der von seinen japanischen Verlegern angebotene *Tokusatsu* kann nicht übersehen werden.

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I HATE YOU

GIRLS
LIKE YOU
ARE WEAK
AND
DEFENSE-
LESS!

AND

ME, I'M A
GUY!
I'M MUCH
STRONGER
THAN YOU!



WHAT
THE
HELL
ARE
YOU
DOING
?!



FOR
AND A
WEAK
GIRL!!

SHUT
UP!!

IF THERE
WERE ANY
OTHER
GUYS HERE,
I'M SURE
THEY WOULD
AGREE!

I'M RETURNING
TO MY
TRAIN WAGON.
I'M SURE
IT'S MUCH
SAFER IN THERE.

ALL THOSE
CORPSES
DON'T
BOther ME



SILENT

ALL
I TOLD
YOU TO
STAY
AWAY

WE THREE
ARE THE
ONLY
ONES
HERE

SILENT
WHAT
ARE YOU
AFRAID
OF?









WE DON'T
NEED YOUR
20. SPAY
IN YOUR
OWN
CORRAL!

YOU'VE LOST
IT ALREADY.
DO. SCREW
AROUND
SOMEWHERE
ELSE!



YEP.
TAMPS
WANT 'EM
BORN
TO ROT

TAMPS
WANT
ANYTHING
DESTRUCTIVE

100



...













HE
CHALLENGED
ME
...

THAT GUY
STARTED IT



TO WHERE
I LAST GOT A
TRANSMISSION
AND TRY AGAIN

BECAUSE
I'LL GO
BACK



SAVED THE
WALL THERE
WAS
ESPECIALLY
TUN, SO
SOMETHING
COULD GET
THROUGH...





IT'S
ALREADY
BEEN A
YEAR...

I KNOW

WHAT CAN YOU
DO ALONE TO
GET HELP OR
GET OUT OF
HERE?
WE THREE
SHOULD STICK
TOGETHER!



IF SOMETHING
LIKE THAT
HAPPENS
AGAIN...
I'LL BEAT
AND GO!

THAT IS
FOR GOOD
BUT
THAT SAY,
WE CAN'T
REALLY
SAVE



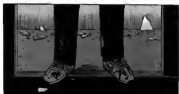
















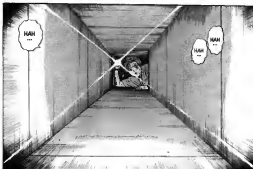


YOU TOO
WILL GET
USED
TO THAT!

IN ANY
CASE,
WE WON'T
GET
OUT OF
HERE!









...HE'S A
FREAK!









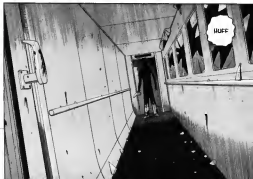




















WORTHY!
HE DID
WHAT THE
TEACHER
TOLD HIM



THE
TEACHER
WOULD
SAY THE
SAME



IT'S
OBVIOUSLY
BETTER
THAN THE
COMPANY-
BUND



IT'S
FREE



“DIP-Z-S-M”



HE HAD TO
BE SCOURGED
IN THE PRISON



THIS CORPSE
BELONGED TO ARTHUR,
THE BIOLOGY
AND SOCIOLOGY
TEACHER



ART

OUT
BEFORE
BLOOD!

...

LOSE A
SCHOOL OF
ADULTERY,
AUTHORITY
AND POWER

...

AT THE
CENTER
OF THE
OUT-OF-
BALANCE
WORLD...

ACROSS
ROAD

...



**U
W
A
A
A
N!**





AMIRA WAS
A TEACHER
HATED TILL
DEATH...



... HIS
AUTHORITARY
ATTITUDE
INSTILLED FEAR
IN STUDENTS,
COMPELLING
THEM TO DO AS
HE PLEASED





IT WAS
LIGHT!
BUT SO HEAVY
TOO, AND
HIS NECK
WAS
BROKEN!



I
BROUGHT
HIM
HERE!

IT WAS
HIS!



AH!



NEE!
NEE!
NEE!
NEE!
NEE!

BUT WE
NEED
AN ADULT
TO GUIDE
US!!

TELL ME!
DID
ANYONE
DOUBT HIS
POWER?!











SOMEONE
TOLD ME

...



NOT
NOTHING
IS GOING
TO HAPPEN



THEY ARE
SAFER
THAN ANY
OTHER
SHELTER

...SOMEONE
TOLD ME
ONCE THAT
FROM
TUNNELS
AND FOLLOWED
THEIR
HIDDEN
ADVENTURE



...



IT
WAS
THEY

NOT







IF I
WANT TO
RECOVER,
I'VE
GOT TO
KEEP ON
MOVING!

WHATEVER
IF I STAY
HERE,
I WON'T
WIN!
ANYWAYS!



SHIT!



I WILL
GO
ANYWAY!

AND
THEN
...

I WILL
GET OUT
AT ANY
COST!











WANT
THE HELL
IS HE
SAYING??



AND I
BROUGHT
HIM
HERE!!



THIS
WAS
THE
ONLY
ONE
WHO
COULD
ORDER
ME!

WHY THE
HELL
WOULDN'T YOU
LISTEN TO
ME?



SO
TIRED

OH, NOT
MY
BODY...!



THE
TRAIN IS
MY TERR-
ITORY!

YOU
DECIDED
TO GO
OUTSIDE!

AND NOW
YOU'VE
COME BACK
WITHOUT
ASKING ME!







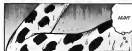
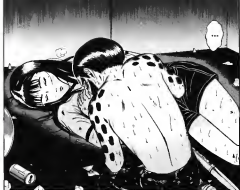
AFTER THE
ACCIDENT
SHE WAS
SLEEPING
FOR TWO
DAYS

TAITO'S
B...













WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU LOOKING AT?



DAMN
BACH-
TASHI!



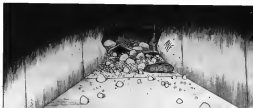


WAIT A MINUTE...
WHERE IS TERRY?

...

WHERE
DID HE
GO?

WHY
DON'T
WE
HIDE?







THAT'S
NOT A
GETTING
MONSTER

WAAAH

THERE IS
NOTHING
IN THE
DARKNESS!!
I AM
NOT LIKE
MONSTER!!

IT CAN'T
BE
A MONSTER!!



I COULDN'T
SEE ITS
FACE.
IT WAS
HIDING
IN THE
DARKNESS

BUT I
KNEW
IT WAS
A MONSTER



*BUT I
FEEL
SOME-
THING!!*



*I DON'T
KNOW WHY*

*I COULDN'T
SEE ANYTHING...
BUT I'M
SURE THAT
IT LAUGHED
WITH A SOFT,
GENTLE
VOICE*





I WAKE
UP WITH
A DEEP
FEELING OF
ABANDON
-REMI-



I'M DEEP
IN THE
DARKNESS
-REMI-



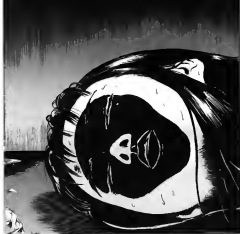
MY HEAD
BOOMS
HORRIBLY

I...
I THINK
I HAVE
LOST
MY
MIND
-REMI-









*FROM THE
BEGINNING,
NOSUO TAKAHASHI
FELT SOMETHING...
SOMETHING
IN THE SHADOWS*

*IN MY
DREAMS
THERE
WAS A
MONSTER*



*...WANTED
ME TO
BECOME
ITS SLAVE*



*THAT
MONSTER
WANTED*

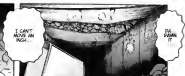


THE FIRE

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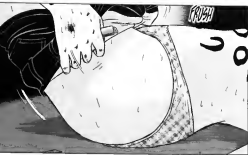
HEY, I'M
BURIED!
HELP ME!
PLEASE!













POOR
FACET'S
THAT
BLIND?



...
...
...





CAN IT
BE
TRUMP?



IT CAME
ONE OR TWO
METERS
FROM
HERE...



...

I THINK
IT'S GETTING
WARMER...



WHAT
IS HE
DOING?

















I-ITS...
WATER!!













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BO BO BO

18.

ESCAPE





NOW
KNOW!!!

NOW
KNOW!!!

WHERE
THE
HELL
ARE
YOU?

TE...
TERRIBLE



TON TON TON



DO
DO
DO
DO

AHH!





A-
AROH!



WATER...
WATER IS
SLUSHING
IN...

HE...
FROM...
GET UP,
PELLEGGIO!

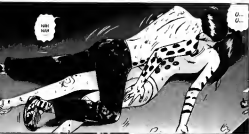
THE WALL
IS COLLAP-
LING



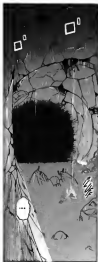
T'N

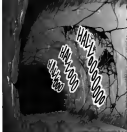
KA
S
A

NK













WHY
CAN'T
HE

NO BUT
EVERYONE
ELSE IS
DEAD...



I
SHOULD
HAVE
DIED, BUT
I'M
STILL
ALIVE

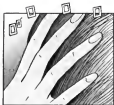
FROM
WHAT
HAVE I
COME
TO IN
MY
MIND?



...



WHY THE
HELL
AM I
THE ONLY
ONE TO
SURVIVE!?!?





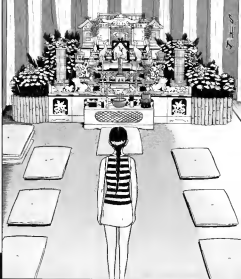
























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HAH
HAH
...

HAH
HAH
...



HAH
HAH
...



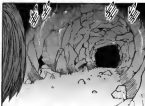
DOH
DOH
...

HAH
HAH
HAH



























HE'S OUR
OFFERING!!

YOU'RE IN
TIME FOR THE
CEREMONY!!
I'M GOING
TO SACRIFICE
HIM TO THE
LORD OF
DARKNESS!!



HE'S THE
MASTER OF
THE WORLD
WE LIVE IN!



WE MUST
SURVIVE IN
DARKNESS
BETWEEN
CORPSES
AND
STARS!!

I FELT
ALONE!!

WHEN I
WENT INTO
THE
DARKNESS
WITHOUT
FEAR I FELT
THERE'S
ANOTHER
ONE LIVING
WITH US!!

TO
N
F





WE GIVE
YOU
ANYMORE?



WE
MADE A
SACRIFICE
IN



PLEASE
TAKE
HIM!!

















—TADAD—





HAH
HAH



HAH
HAH



HAH
HAH



HAH
HAH



HAH
HAH



HAH
HAH

HAH
HAH

HAH
HAH



HAH
HAH

HAH
HAH



HAH
HAH



SAY...
SHIT
I WON'T
BE IN
THIS
PLACE!





AH!



HAH
HAH

HAH
HAH







KYAAAAAH!!







THAT'S
WHY I
DREW
ON
YOUR
BODY!

YOU
SHOULDN'T
HAVE
SURVIVED!
THERE IS
NO PLACE
FOR A GIRL!



AHH!



I KNEW
IT
FROM
THE
BEGIN-
NING!









WHY?

HE...
HE'S
GOING
TO KILL
ME!!



HE IS
GOING
TO KILL
ME!!



oooooooo

STOP!!













GYAAAAH!!



LOOK
MADAME
TALKING!!

HA!!



ALMOST
CRUSHED
MY
HEAD!

YOU
ALMOST
KILLED
ME!



YOU
ARE
CRAZY
!!

WAS
YOU
KILLED?



AND WHAT ABOUT YOU? WHAT'S THAT LOOK?



IT'S ALL YOUR FAULT! ALL!



AND IT'S ALL YOUR FAULT! YOURS!

YOU ARE THE CRAZY ONE!



GUWAAAAH!!!





UWA A A A H H





















CHAPTER 23 STATE OF AFFAIRS



THIS ISN'T
JUST A REGULAR
EARTHQUAKE!!



WHAT IS
THAT?

JUST
WHAT IS
THAT?



KY
AA
AA
AA
H!!

AM

AM

AM















OWAAH!



IT'S
FIND
AND
JUST
BRING
FOOT!!

GET UP
HERE
DRACULA!!



KYAAAAAH!!



CLIMB IN
THERE!!

JUST RIM
ALONG ON
THE TRAIL,
THEN YOU'LL
GET TO THE
BIG DRAC!!





I KNOW
THAT
FROM THE
START!!!

WHATEVER WE
DO, WE WON'T
GET OUT OF
HERE ALIVE!!



WHERE
DO YOU
WANT
TO GO
NOW?



SHUT THE
FLACK UP,
YOU ARE
CRAZY!!



WE
CAN'T DO
ANYTHING
TO CHANGE
THAT!!



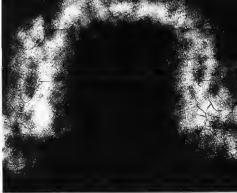
IF YOU
WISDOM
WAS, WE
WOULD HAVE
BEEN FINE!!

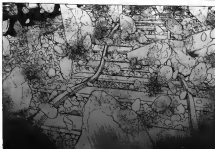
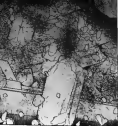




THAT
MOMENT
I SAW IT
CLEARLY.







IT LAUGHED...

...AS IF TO
RECALL
US...

THAT
VOICE...

THAT
VOICE...

...HAD A
VOICE OF
TRIUMPH.